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SUBJECT:AP CORRESPONDENT (ALMOST, HAROLD)

AP NEW YORK OFFICE TONIGHT INFORMED DEPARTMENT IT HAD RECEIVED TELEX FROM FREDDY VARGAS MENDES, IDENTIFYING SELF AS GOB ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF INTERIOR. EITHER THROUGH POOR TRANSLATION OR GARBLE, AP UNCLEAR WHAT VARGAS MENDES IS SAYING EXPLICITLY,BUT BURDEN OF MESSAGE SEEMS TO BE GOB FINDS H. ALMOST IN VIOLATION OF BOLIVIAN PRESS LAWS AND ASKS IMMEDIATE CHANGE OF AP CORRESPONDENT IN LA PAZ.

AP UNABLE TO CONTACT ALMOST AND FEARS ALMOST IN JAIL OR OTHERWISE BEING INTERFERED WITH. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE INVESTIGATION AND REPORT. KISSINGER

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